

Aim For \$7,500,000

PRESIDENT KICKS OFF NATIONAL

CAMPAIGN

Sod Turned For Men's Residence In Honour Of Former UNB President

Sod turning ceremonies for a new men's residence at the University of New Brunswick Thursday marked the kick-off of a building fund campaign stretching over the next five years.

The national appeal for funds has an objective of \$7,500,000 UNB President Dr. Colin B. Mackay told those at the ceremony following Convocation exercises in the Lady Beaverbrook Rink Thursday afternoon.

The money, he said, will go towards construction of more residence, lecture, laboratory and library space as well as for permanent quarters for maintenance departments. It also will help in the implementation of the Deutsch Royal Commission report as it effects UNB.

Dr. Mackay made the announcement at sod turning ceremonies for a new men's residence to be named Mackenzie House after UNB's seventh president Dr. N. A. M. Mackenzie, now honorary professor of international and constitutional law at the provincial university.

Pays Tribute

In paying tribute to the retired head of the University of British Columbia, Dr. Mackay said:

"It is because of his interest and love of people (in particular the student population of all universities) that the Senate of this university thought it particularly appropriate that a residence for students bear the name Mackenzie House."

The sod turning for the residence, Dr. Mackay went on to say, was the official send-off of the new building fund campaign. He outlined the reasons for an appeal for money at this time, citing the "severe over-crowding" at UNB despite a controlled registration.

"There are insufficient seats and not enough shelves in the library. There is a lack of laboratory space for research in engineering and there is a need for more lecture rooms and offices throughout the university."

"Both our faculty of law and school of nursing are in temporary quarters while much of our recreational facilities were designed for a student body of no more than 1,000," Dr. Mackay said.

University authorities realized, he continued, that there also must be additional services to look after the needs of an expanding campus. An enlarged heating plant, a new home for maintenance and service staff and more residence accommodations are required.

Implement Recommendations

"And finally," the president said, "We must continue to implement the recommendations of the Deutsch Royal Commission which means turning our attention next to the proposed University of New Brunswick in Saint John."

Such a program must be undertaken immediately and continued over the next five years, he concluded. Total cost is an estimated \$11,000,000 with \$7,500,000 to be raised in a new national campaign.

Dr. Mackay described the sod turning for Mackenzie House as a ceremony "in the nature of a kick-off for a new building fund". To be the eighth men's residence on campus, it will complete a residence quadrangle with Jones, Neill, and Bridges Houses.

"The original concept of four houses in each grouping, together with a dining hall, was planned in consultation with representatives of the student body," he said. "This has worked very well and we are anxious to complete the remaining two structures as soon as possible."

Mackenzie House will be in keeping with the three-storey Georgian style residences in that area of the campus.

S.R.C. NOTICE

At the end of the spring term last year two woven tapestries were taken from the Tartan Room in the upstairs of the Student Center. These tapestries required a great deal of work and were of considerable value.

Our only consideration at this time is the return of these tapestries. Although we are not certain, we think that it may be a U.N.B. student who has taken these, possibly considering it to be a prank.

If it is a student we appeal to this individual to make arrangements for the return of these tapestries without identification of self, to either Mrs. Arnold McAllister or myself immediately. This may be done by mail if you wish. If returned now we guarantee that no consequences whatsoever will result. It is hoped that co-operation will be received on this matter.

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Left to Right; L. J. Robichaud, Jean Lesage, J. Leonard O'Brien

Record Number Of Degrees Presented

A record 122 candidates for degrees in course walked the carpeted platform in the Lady Beaverbrook Rink Thursday when the University of New Brunswick observes its annual Convocation.

The total exceeds by 31 the number of degree recipients last year.

onto; and the Hon. Jean Lesage, Prime Minister of Quebec and this year's Convocation speaker.

Most of those receiving degrees were teachers who had worked through many summer schools for their parchment. Others were senior students who, for a variety of reasons,

chemical engineering, forestry and education; and bachelors in civil law, education, arts, science, civil, electrical, mechanical and chemical engineering, forestry, business administration, physical education and teaching.

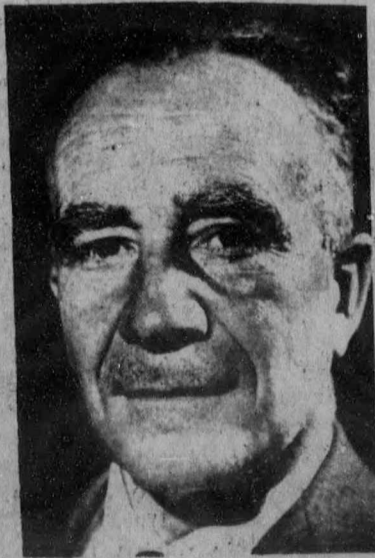
The degree of doctor of



Hon. H. G. Irwin

Honorary Degree

Honorary degrees were conferred on the Hon. Henry G. Irwin, Minister of Education; Dr. Reginald Ernest Balch, retired Head of the Forest Biology, Entomology and Pathology Laboratory; Prof. Thomas Forsyth McIlwraith, Head of the Department of Anthropology at the University of Tor-



Prof. T. F. McIlwraith

were unable to attend Encenia last May, while the remainder were graduate students who just completed their study for higher degrees.

This year three doctoral, 27 master's and 92 bachelor's degrees were granted. They were doctors in English and Chemistry; masters in arts, science, civil, electrical and



Dr. R. E. Balch

philosophy in chemistry was conferred upon George Martin Strunz, Dublin, Ireland, and Israel Unger, Montreal, Quebec. Trevor Lennam of Fredericton received the first doctoral degree in English conferred by UNB.

During graduation ceremonies prizes were awarded to 36 undergraduates.